



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re the Application of: **HARADA, Akihiko et al.**

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For. **INSULATED GATE TYPE SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING THE SAME**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: December 26, 2002

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 25, 2002 for two months from October 25, 2002 to December 25, 2002.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$400.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340. Two copies of this paper are enclosed herewith.

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